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Vases, Tea Poys, Lacquered Ware, Faus, Ivory Ware, &c., &c. Open for Inspection This Saturday Morning.

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ESDAY. DEC. 19th. AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., FINE LINE OF MERCHANDISE!

RY GOODS, CLOTHING, IOSIERY, BLANKETS, CARD MATCHES, YSTERS, TOBACCO,

IGARS, TEAS, MATTING, &c., &c. iso, Casks Chicken Feed ! E. P. ADAMS, Auctioneer.

SUITABLE OR CHRISTMAS!

RIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 22.

-CONSISTING OF-Silver Plated Ware,

UT GLASS CLARET JUGS, ECANTERS, WINE GLASSES, ORLETS AND TUMBLERS,

GLASS FRUIT & FLOWER STANDS WHITE GRANITE AND CHINA nner & Tea Sets! Fine Assortment of Vases,

Soaps, Perfumery, &c., &c. Goods Ready for Inspection Friday Morn-10 O'clock. E. P. ADAMS, Auct'r.

ECUTOR'S SALE der of A. F. Judd, Esq., and Mrs. Catharine orbert, Executors of the Estate of L. L. Torbert, deceased,

laturday, - - - December 23d, 19 A. M., AT STORE ON THE ESPLANADE.

LANCE OF STOCK

Sashes, Doors, Sash Doors, Blinds, Cut Nalls, Shelf Bardware, SHED CALABASHES, POI TUBS! One large Iron Pot for Boiling Taro.

Blass, Window Glass. Spirit Varnish, Paints, Three Jack Screws, large size. ok Case, Chairs, EVENING SALE! OFFICE STOOLS.

e Engineer's Level, superior; vo Sets Surveying and Drafting Instruments, ne New Canvas Tent,

ne Flat Bottom Boat, new ; of Old Lumber, Staging, Horses, &c.

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ATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 30th, At Seven O'clock.

CY COODS,

CHINA COODS, CLASSWARE, &c.

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VARE of WET FEET Brandlada.

ve Your Doctor's Bills! CHASING A PAIR OF THOSE EGANT DOUBLE-SOLE BOOTS!

can only be had at McInerny's. & MARTIN'S LIQUID BLACKING At 25 Cents per Pot.

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duced Prices for Cash!

HE UNDERSIGNED IS PREared to do any kind of work in his tine

At his Shop on the Esplanade WM. DUNCAN. AUOTION ALE

BY C. S. BARTOW.

THIS DAY! ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE Lease of Real Estate at Auction.

BY ORDER OF J. W. AUSTIN.

88Q , Administrator of the Patate of ROBERT
LETT, deceased will be sold af Public Auction on This Day, Saturday, the 16th of December, At 12 o'clock M., on the premises, all the right, title and interest of the Estate of Robert Lett in and to the lease of the Harbottle Premises on Hotel Street, Honolulu, adjoining the Dr. Wood Premises, which premises have recently been occupied by Robert Lett and others. The lease expires on the 1st day of January, 1876, the rental being \$17 per month. There are a number of Buildings on the premises, suitable for shops and Also on the same day, at half past 12 o'clock P. M., will be sold at public auction, on the premises, all the right, title and interest of the Estate of Robert Lett in and to the lease of the premises at the corner of Maunakea and Hotel streets, Hono-

being \$15 per month. There are three buildings on the premises, and the same may be profitably improved.

C. S. BARTOW, Auctioneer. ASSIGNEES' SALE At SALESROOM.

lulu, which premises were formerly occupied by G. Wilhelm. The lease expires on the 1st day of August, 1881, the rental

WEDNESDAY, : : : DECEMBER 20th, AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., By Order of Messrs. H. HACKFELD & Co., assignees of the Estate of WOO KOW & Co., I will sell at Public Auction,

THE BALANCE OF A RETAIL STOCK!

-Consisting of-Prints, Muslins, Brown, Bleached and Blue Cottons, Denims, Shirts, Shoes, Undershirts and Drawers,

Comba, Thread, and a Varied Assortment of Sundries

Of the Estate of D. C. Waterman, deceased. One Stereoscope,

2 Japanese Swords, 1 Book of Games,
Paralel Rule, Rulers,
Case of Drawing Instruments, &c.

C. S. BARTOW, Auctioneer.

Friday Morning, Dec. 22d. GRAND CHRISTMAS SALE

THE INVOICE OF FINE FRENCH GOODS! JUST RECEIVED FROM PARIS DIRECT,

Will be offered at Auction on INE LINE OF WARES! Friday Morning Next, the 22d instant, These Articles have been Selected with Great Care, and Consist of a Large Variety of

BLACK & COLORED SILKS! Challis, Grenadines, Foulards, Cambrics, Organdies, Brilliants,

Pique, Cashmeres, Bareges, Poplins, WREATHS, HEAD DRESSES Artificial Flowers.

Parasols, Sun-Shades. Fine Kid Gloves! Ladies' Ties and Bows,

Very Fine Dress Shirts, Skirts, Corsages, Infant's & Children's Clothing

Handkerchiefs, Underclothes for Children. Costumes, Jupons, Corsets, Garibaldis, Paletots,

RICH BURNOUS AND OPERA CLOAKS. Rich Lace Parures, WHITE SATIN SHOES! Grenadine Dresses, Insertions, Edgings,

A FEW VERY CHOICE Framed Chromo-Lithographs

Miniature Billiard Table ! CROQUET SETS, &c., &c.

The Sale will Commence Precisely at Half-past Ten

O'clock, on Friday Morning, 22d inst. C. S. BARTOW, Auct'r.

TABLE, CALENDAR CLOCK. SALESROOM OF C. S. BARTOW. CHRISTMAS SALE.

SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 23. Superior Selection TOYS.

FANCY ARTICLES. Calabashes, &c.

Diamond Ring, 1 Pair Sleeve Buttons, diamond letters, I Ladies' Gold Watch. 1 Gentleman's Gold Watch All admirably adapted for Christmas Presents. C. S. BARTOW, Anet'r.

ROOM SALE! ON TUESDAY, - - - - DEC. 26th. AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Fine Selection of Dry Goods

VARIETY OF CLOTHING CASTLE & COOKE. AND OTHER ARTICLES PERSONAL EFFECTS OF His late Highness M. Kekuanaoa.

Marseilles Vests, Coats, Shirts, China Frocks, White and Colored Pants, Undershirts, Silk Drawers, Wool & Cotton Drawers, Socks, Collars, Cravata, Table Covers, Silk Bedspreads, Cotton do., Blankets, Towels, And Various Other Articles! C. S. BARTOW, Auctioneer.

EVENING SALE! Last Evening Sale at Bartow's

FRIDAY EVENING. DECEMBER 29th, A Very Superior Selection of CHINA GOODS! TE STAND, TA GRATE ST.

VARIED ASSORTMENT OF House & Carriage Work! FANCY ARTICLES!

FOR NEW YEAR'S. C. S. BARTOW, Auct'r. Shipping.

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Queen Emma, Having part of her cargo already engaged. For freight or passage, having superior accommodation for cabin and sterage passengers, apply to C. BREWER & Co., Agents.

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Jane A. Falkinburg, CATHCART, Master. Having part of her Cargo engaged, will have Quick Dispatch for the above port. For freight or passage, apply to CASTLE & COOKE, Agents.

STEAMER KILAUEA FOR KAUAL!

December 21st, 1871.

DECEMBER 12th BEING THE COMmencement of Court at Lahalna, the sailing time of the steamer Kitanea for Kanai is changed from December 14 to December 21. LEAVING HONOLULU AT 3 P. M., FOR HANALEL, leaving Hanalei at 8 A. M. Dec. 221 for Waines, leaving Waimea for Kolos at 3 P. M., leaving Kolos at 4 A. M. Dec.

On Monday, : :: December 25th,

-THE-Steamer will Leave for Hilo Making the Circuit of Hawaii. Returning to Honolulu Sunday, Dec. 31st.

Passage Cashin Freight Bills payable monthly. SAM'L G. WILDER, Agent.

United States, New Zealand and Australia Mail Steamship Line.

For SAN FRANCISCO The Steamship MOSES TAYLOR ! On or about December 16th,

For Auckland, N. Z., and Sydney, N. S. W. Auckland with Steamers for other New Zealand Ports And at Sydney with Steamers for Melbourne,

The STEAMSHIP NEBRASKA! On or about December 16th. TIME TABLE. Dates of departure from San Dates of Departure from Ho-Francisco for Honolulu and nolulu for San Francisco and Ports in New Zealand and for Ports in New Zealand and Australia.

Wednesday, December 6, 1871 Saturday. December 16, 1871 Wednesday. January 3, 1872 Saturday. January 13, 1872 Wednesday. January 31, 1872 Saturday. February 10, 1872 Wednesday. February 28, 1872 Saturday. March 9, 1872 Wednesday. March 27, 1872 Saturday. April 6, 1872 Passengers booked through at reduced rates to points in the Passengers booked through at reduced rates to points in the United States and to Liverpool, and also to ports in New Zealand and to Melbourne.

For Freight and Passage, and all further information, o28

Apply to H. HACKFELD & Co., Agents.

FOR KOHALA. Schooner Active. MELLISH. Master.

Will run as a Regular Packet to the above port. For Freight or Passage apply to o7 3m WALKER & ALLEN, Agents. REGULAR PACKET FOR LAHAINA.

THE SCHR. NETTIE MERRILL, E. D. CRANE, Master. Will Run Regularly between This Port and Lahaina, Honolulu every Monday and Lahaina every Thursday.

Regular Packet for Hanalei, Kauai.

THE CLIPPER SCHOONER FAIRY QUEEN,

KAAINA, MASTER, Will Sail as a Regular Packet as above. For Freight or passage apply to WALKER & ALLEN.

REMOVAL. BEG LEAVE TO NOTIFY MY FRIENDS Tobacco and Cigar Store to No. 44 FORT STREET.

where I shall sell at lowest possible rates all the articles in my line. Please call and examine my large and assorted stock.
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H. BOLLMANN, 44 Fort Street.

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-PER-D. C. MURRAY, FROM ENGLAND! FOR SALE AT LOWEST RATES

TO SUIT THE TIMES, BY COMBISTING IN PART OF: SUPERIOR BLACK LAMA LACE SHAWLS

MARSEILLE TRIMMING. A Superior Assortment. Fine Block Ribbon, No. 4, 5, 6, 9, 12 & 16. JAVA CANVAS.

AT REDUCED RATES Embroidery for Children's Clothes! Ginghams, New Styles! All Wool Water-proof. Corduroy, Tickings, FINE DOESKINS, FINE CRASH, HEAVY TOWELS. ALSO, BY LAST STEAMER,

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Very Cheap and Pretty. Superior Double and Twist Linen Pant Stuffs, &c., &c., &c. Samples sent to the other Islands If requested. AUCTION NOTICE!

PROPORTIONAL CHARGE OF THE A necessary expense incurred for advertising Auction Sales will, as heretofore, be charged to all consignors of Merchandise to be sold at Auction, received before or after such advertisements are issued.

C. S. BARTOW, Auctioneers, E. P. ADAMS,

NOTICE ! THE POSITION OF PURYEYOR TO the QUEEN'S HOSPITAL being vacant, the Executive Committee will receive applications for that place and request parties applying to state what experience they have had, if any, in hospitals and dispensaries, also their knowledge of the Hawalian language and their other qualifications.

Applications received up to the 15th of January next will have due consideration. Per order e due consideration. Per order F. A. SCHAEPER, Secretary.

NOTICE! A STRAY BRINDLE COW WITHOUT horns, and a STEER 3 years old marked with an O and another unknown letter have been running on the Ranch of the Nunanu Dairy about 3 years. The owner is requested to prove property and pay charges, or forfeit the cattle. d9 2:*

THOMAS SILVA.

ASSIGNEES NOTICE.

WOO KAU& CO., HAVING MADE AN assignment to the undersigned of all their property for the benefit of their creditors. All persons having claums against the said firm of WOO KAU & Co. are hereby requested to present them to the undersigned, and all those indebted to the same are requested to make payment to 1m H, HACK+ELD & CO. Assignees. Honolulu, Dec. 8th, 1871.

NOTICE. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY CAUTIONS
all persons against harboring or trusting his Wife,
WAIAPUA, under penalty of the Law, as she has left his bed
and board without just cause or provocation. JNO. BESINE.
Kahaluu, Koolaupoko, Dec. 1, 1871.

NOTICE. SHALL PAY NO DEBTS CONTRACTED io my name without my written order.

Honolulu, Nov. 25, 1871. (d2 3t) H. S. SWINTON, Jr.

A GOOD SUGAR BOILER. APPLY TO WALKER & ALLEN. WANTED. A FIRST-CLASS SUGAR BOILER; ONE 28d for Nawiliwili, leaving Nawiliwili Saturday P. M. for who understands boiling in open steam pans. Apply either in person or by letter, with references as to ability and character, to (n4 tf) C. BREWER & CO.

WANTED! A MAN ACCUSTOMED TO MILKING and general farm work, by Nunanu Valley, Oct. 7, 1871. (07) J. H WOOD.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the Undersigned in the Blacksmithing Business, under the firm and name of M. LEWIS &
Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The liabilities of
the firm will be paid by either of the Undersigned, and all
persons are requested to settle their accounts promptly.

M. LEWIS,
WM. B. WEIGHT.
Handhip Nov. 29, 1871.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE! THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY Horse Shoers, under the name and firm of WRIGHT & WILSON, at the old stand of M. Lewis & Co., on King Street, and respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage.

WM. B. WRIGHT,

CHAS. B. WILSON.

Honolulu, Nov. 20, 1871. DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETO-FORE existing between Chan Fook & Alee, of the firm of Alee & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All per-sons having accounts with the late firm are requested to settle the same with either of the partners of Chu Lan & Co. Honolulu, Nov. 15, 1871. (n25 lm) CHAN FOOK.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETO
FORE existing between Chu Lan & Wong Kwai, of the
firm of Chu Lan & Brother, is this day dissolved by mutual
consent. All persons having accounts with the late firm are

LOOK OUT FOR HIM.—We have rerequested to settle the same with either of the partners, or with Chu Lau & Co. CHU LAN, by his attorney in fact Wong Kwai, Honolulu, Nov. 15, 1871 (n25 lm) WONG KWAI.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE! THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING THIS DAY entered into a Co-partnership under the firm and style of CHU LAN & Co, will carry on, in all its branches, at the old stand above the corner of King and Nuusnu Streets, Honolulu, the business of Wholesale and Retail Dealers in General Merchandise and Rice Plantations. CHU LAN, WONG KWAI, Honolulu, Nov. 15, 1871. (625 1m) CHAN FOOK.

NOTICE ! FOR SALE-THE DESIRABLE RESInew) containing seven Rooms, with several out buildings Fruit and Shade Trees on the Premises. 014 tf. For particulars apply to R. E. WAKEMAN.

A CARD. HONOLULU, Nov. 18, 1871. IT IS WITH PLEASURE THAT WE bear testimony to the superiority of MR. MACAUhave never had him surpassed in our experience in either Europe or America. We are therefore greatly indebted for the zeal and spirit with which he has persevered in regulating and tuning our planos during our stay in Honelulu, and we there-fore commend him to the public as possessing a superiority over all others of similar pretensions.

[Signed] A. BISCACCIANTI,

A CARD.—HAVING DECIDED ON RE-A maining here permanently, the undersigned offers his services to the citizens of Honolulu as a Teacher of Music, in-cluding Thorough Bass; also, of German, French and Spanish. Engagements to play for concerts, parties, 4c., made on reas-onable terms; also, Pianos tuned and repaired.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN! FROM PUULOA SALT WORKS about the 15th of October, 1 YOKE WORK-ING OXEN, one dark red, the other light red with white stripe on the back. The flader by returning said Oxen to Puuloa Salt Works, will be liberally rewarded.

TO LET! THOSE DESIRABLE PREMISES SIT-UATED on the corner of Beretania and Punchbowt Streets, known as the Lougada Premises. For particu-lars enquire of (n25) GEO. C. McLEAN.

TO LET! THE HOUSE AND PREMISES ON KUKUI STREET adjoining the residence of Mr. C. H. Lewers, and at present occupied by J. W. Widdifield. (a18 tf) Enquire of HUGO STANGENWALD. M. D. TO RENT OR LEASE!

THE HOUSE AND PREMISES NO. 148 Nuann Avenue. Apply to Sept. 21st. (\$23 tf.) C. E. WILLIAMS. TO LET! A VERY DESIRABLE NEW COTTAGE, containing an elegant parlour, three or four bedrooms, dining room, kitchen and pantry, bath house, servant's house, &c. The House is surrounded by garden and pasture grounds, and is pleasanti; located in one of the most healthy parts of the city. myl2 Apply to HUGO STANGENWALD, M. D.

TO LET OR LEASE! THOSE VERY DESIRABLE
PREMISES on the Plains known as ULU—
LANI, at present occupied by Mr. 8. B.
Dole. The Dwelling House consists of a large Parlor, Dining Room, Three Bed Booms and Pantry, two large Store Room on basement; there is also, on the land a Cottage containing two rooms, detached Kitchen, Servant's House, Stables, &c., &c., with a well of good water. Possession given on the first of July next. For further particulars, my20 if apply to JAMES 8. LEMON. FURNISHED COTTAGE TO LET AT or by the year at \$35 per month.

O29 tf Apply to W. L. GREEN.

FOR SALE.—THE COTTAGE ON THE Beach at Walkiki, formerly occupied by Miss Moutgomery.

Apply to A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS
FOR SAAE his property situated in Nauanu
Valley on the west side, between the residences
of J. H. Wodehouse and C. C. Harris. The lot contains about of J. H. Wodehouse and C. C. Harris. The lot contains about three acres of good pasture land, well watered, on which is located a good, substantial, and convenient Dwelling House, Stables, and Carriage House, and all the necessary out Houses in good repair. There is a never-failing spring of pure water on the premises; also a stream of water running through the and. Any one wishing to purchase a finely located residence will do well to call and examine the above. Terms easy, and made known on application to WM. DUNCAN.

At his Blacksmith Shop on Esplanade.

A FINE CHANCE FOR INVESTING A SMALL SUM

PIANOS! 2 Splendid Rosewood Cottage Pianos, THE PACIFIC

Commercial Adbertiser.

PHASES OF THE MOON FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1871-HONOLULU MEAN TIME.

Dec. 4th-Last Quarter..... 8 14 PM

 11th—New Moon.
 5 30 pm

 18th—First Quarter
 10 10 am

 *26th—Full Meon.
 11 34 am

 TIME OF SUN RISING AND SETTING 1st-Sun Rises 6 25 AM ; Sun Sets 5 18 PM 31st-Sug Rises..... 6 41 am; Sun Sets..... 5 25 pm Capt. Daniel Smith.

> SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16. NOTES OF THE WEEK. .

HER MAJESTY QUEEN EMMA and suite sailed on Thursday for Kauai, on a visit to that island. BOOKS AT AUCTION .- Adams has a sale this even-

ing of an extensive catalogue of books, pictures, A COMPLAINT .- A correspondent complains that spectators were kept out of the circle of the racecourse on Monday, a practice which he avers is

REAL ESTATE .- A desirable building lot on Liliha street sold at auction last Saturday for \$1725, Mr. C. E. Williams being the purchaser. It will be more valuable when School street is continued through to Liliba street.

new here or anywhere else. How is that?

THE KILAUEA TO MAUI on Tuesday last took about a dozen cabin and some 150 deck passengers. Among the former Judge Widemann and the members of the bar, who go up to attend the Term of Court at Labaina.

HIS HONOR JUDGE HARTWELL arrived from Kauai on Tuesday evening, too late for the steamer, but sailed on Thursday evening by the Moi Keiki, to attend the Circuit. It looks like business to see two judges of the Supreme Court in attendance upon one circuit. HAWAHAN CHARITY .- The contributions at the

native Church of Kanmakapili, in this city, for the relief of the sufferers by fire in the Western States, amounted to \$104. The amount though small, is equivalent to the means of the donors, and exhibits a generous feeling of sympathy. FUNERAL OF A SEAMAN .-- On Monday, the Good Templars attended the funeral of W. A. Smith,

seaman, who belonged to the Order, and who died in the American Hospital. He was one of the shipwrecked from the Arctic, and a native of Pennsyl-OAHU COLLEGE .- The Semi-Annual Examinations at this institution took place on Thursday and Friday of this week. As we only became aware of

the fact on yesterday, we are unable to give an account of the proceedings. From report, we gather that the examinations were very satisfactory, and the opinion is expressed that the semi-annual plan graph with the likeness of a rather good looking person, on which is printed the following :- " For Jas. D. Outwater, Bank Defaulter, age 31 years;

hight, 5 feet 4 inches; thin of flesh; bald head

dark hair, whiskers and eyes ;- Reward. \$500 in

gold coin, and passage paid, for his delivery to Oak-

land Bank of Savings, Oakland, Alameda Co., Cal. November 14, 1871." HONOLULU COMMANDERY, No 1., KNIGHTS TEM-PLAR.—At a regular meeting, held on Thursday evening, Dec. 14th, the following officers were elected for

Eminent Commander—R. S. Hollister.
Generalissimo—J. O. Dominis.
Captain General—A. McDuff.
Prelate—A. McIntosh.
S. W.—D. Dayton.
J. W.—G. Williams. T -J. S. Walker. Recorder-I. B. Peterson. Standard Bearer—W. C. Parke. Sword Bearer—A. F. Judd. Warder—Ed. Kistler.

BURGLARIES .- It appears that there is in ou midst, some who are desirous of trying their hand at this, for Honolulu, unusual crime. It is reported that a room on Emma street was entered on Sunday morning last, and money stolen, while the occupant was asleep, the thief getting off with his booty after a struggle with the awakened party. We hear also of two unsuccessful attempts at burglary in other parts of the city. A little extra caution LABCENY AND ARSON .- On Monday last, the house

of Wm. Hunt, at Ewa, was entered during the owner's absence, and \$75 in coin stolen therefrom. On the same night, the house was set on fire and burned down, with its contents, involving a loss of about \$500. A native who has been in the employ of Mr. Hunt, was seen to have in his possesion some pieces of coin, which by their peculiar marks were known to be part of the stolen money. He was arrested for the larceny, and will be tried in the Police Court this

THE GOOD TEMPLARS BALL .- The ball of " Queen Emma " Lodge, No. 1, I. O. G. T., on Monday evening last, was well attended, and was a brilliant success in every way. Her Majesty Queen Emma and suite, honored the assembly with her presence during the first part of the evening, appropriate music saluting her entrance and departure, and was pleased to express herself as much gratified and entertained with the excellent arrangements, and the evident enjoyment of the company. Dancing was kept up until a late (or rather early) hour, and the guests separated, mutually pleased with each other, and more than ever convinced that a public ball can be made a success without wine entering upon the list

"LEND ME YOUR EARS."-We read in history that in the olden times criminals were sometimes sentenced to have their ears cropped, and it was considered a severe punishment and a great indignity. remained for Honolulu to put on record a case where a person voluntarily and at his own instance submitted to the operation of cropping. We are credibly informed that during the past week, an individual believing that his ears were too long and a detriment to his good looks, procured a surgeon to amputate them to what was considered the proper dimensions. The operation was duly performed by cutting a piece out of each ear in the shape of the letter V, and sewing up the slit. The patient is said to be doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances. as long—as long perhaps as those of the "father of

on the policy of encouraging all home enterprises that are laudable, and second, we believe that the general and moderate use of ice is healthy, and that iced drinks are social reformers. A loss by perspiration, whether by heat or labor, or both combined, excites the feeling of thirst, and that thirst must be ONE OF THE MOST ELIGIBLE DWELLING LOTS satisfied. How much better, on all accounts, a glass of iced lemonade, soda water, or ginger pop, slowly In the City of Honolulu, is now offered by the Undersigned. He is desirous to dispose of that fine and healthily situated piece of Land adjoining the Government Garden, and fronting School and Fort Streets—at the head of the latter.

Any one wishing to purchase should apply soon, as the Lot will be sold at a low figure.

J. b. LEMON.

Honolulu, Oct. 27, 1871.

O28 in the chest. Thus our experience of the benefits of ice, even in this hot climate, is in favor of the opinion of the London Liberal Review, a late number of which says that, "the introduction on a large OCTAVE AND 3 STRINGED, OF THE scale of iced-non-intoxicating drinks for the English hot weather would be a great adventors to a think hot weather would be a great advantage to a thirsty Expressly made for a Tropical Climate. public, and we believe would tend to lessen the num-For Sale by THEOD. C. HEUCK. | ber of drunkards,"

As we go to press, a vessel is reported in Sunday Observance and Workthe offing, supposed to be the Murray.

SHOOTING ACCIDENT .- At Waimes, Hawaii, on the 15th inst., a native in the employ of J. P. Parker, shooting wild cattle on the mountain, accidentally shot and killed himself instantly. Particulars not

A Souther. - One of the old-fashioned sort com menced on Thursday, and yesterday it blew strongly in squalls from S. and S. W., with considerable

SUPPOSED SUICIDE.-The body of a Chinaman was found early this morning by some fishermen. supposed to have committed suicide. An investigation will be held.

THE CALENDAR. Thursday. December 21st, St. absorbing greed of capital. Let the workingmen Thomas, apostle and martyr. The Gospel narra- keep this day inviolate. Of all classes, none is more tive of Thomas, surnamed Dydimus, relates that he was hard of belief; be would see and judge for himself, and then he believed. After the Ascension he appears to have gone to India, and to have preached the Gospel to the Parthians, Medes and Persians, and was martyred at Melapore, on the Coromandel coast, being first stoned and then run through with a spear.

A NOTABLE CURE.—Some month or two ago a Chinawoman was brought to the office of Dr. Dudley the occulist for treatment. She was quite blind from a disease of the eye balls, and the Doctor considered her case almost a hopeless one. However, she continued under treatment, and gradually improved, so that now the sight of her eyes is partially restored, with good prospect of a permanent cure. The Doctor himself considers this a surprising cure.

LIBERTY HALL.-We notice that this whilom notorious liquor saloon on Maunakea street, has been metamorphosed into a Temparance Collee saloon and cigar shop. This is another of the suggestive changes that time and other influences brings about. It is a sort of poetic justice that the Maine Hotel and the Liberty Hall, both of which establishments were in their day the headquarters of "forty-rod" whisky, should so have changed their associations as to become, the one the headquarters of the Good Templars, and the other a Temperance

BETTING.-Considerable money changed hands at the races on the 11th, both those on the water, and on the turf. Some who lost in betting on a favorite boat, made it up on the horse race, and vice versa. The natives, as usual, did a good deal of betting among themselves, on the horses, offering large odds on their favorite, "The Queen." At Ewa, we hear that as high as a thousand dollars were wagered against a horse from Walalua, that sum having been scraped together from numerous contributors,-but for some reason the race at that place did not come off.

SHIP ASHORE .- On Thursday evening, the bark Atalanta, just arrived from Newcastle, N. S. W., with coals, while entering the port, grounded on the west side of the passage. She was in tow of the tug Pele at the time, the wind blowing pretty fresh from the southward, and as the vessel passed the spar buoy Catholics were destroyed by the Chicago fire. she did not answer her helm, but kept right on to the bank, where she grounded. After considerable labor | been defeated a fourth time for Governor of Masand with the assistance of the tug, and the steam- sachusetts, and this time Quincy, his home, refused launch Sedan, she was floated at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, and brought into the harbor at daylight. The extent of damage cannot be ascertained until she

A RACE TO COME OFF .- Last Thursday a match was made up by the owners, Mesers. H. Macfarlane and John A. Cummins, between the horse "Sam German soldier makes a practice of singing one or Morrin " and the mare " The Queen," to come off on Tuesday, the 2nd of Jan. 1872, for \$250 a side. The distance is to be once around the course, as it was on the King's birth-day. Weight, 138 pounds. Starters, James S. Lemon and W. D. Barnard. opposition to Grant. Judges, Gilbert Waller and J. Richardson. At the race on Monday last, the mare and "Sam" were ship-yard of the Lairds at Birkenhead have held very close on the home stretch, the former winning meetings, and unanimously resolved to insist upon a restriction of a day's labor to nine hours. by only a neck, and we anticipate a first-class race on this second trial. "The Queen" is a beauty, on this second trial. "The Queen" is a beauty, live in—for a member of the Young Men's Chrisand with careful training may do still better than tian Association. There is not a single bar-room on Monday last, while "Sam Morrin" is a powerful gray, whose owner is confident that he has the

Police Court.-Saturday, Dec. 9, John Campbell

was arrested for assault and battery on Theophilus Reynolds. Both it appeared had been in the same his pet Cochise and other chiefs in Arizona are vessel, and one shipped for less wages than the other demanded, and hence the quarrel, the assaulter being fined \$5. John Marshall, was charged | property. with the larceny of a pair of unmentionables, the property of a voluble old kanaka named Keoho. Two Portuguese, who talked most puzzling English, were witnesses, but their painful efforts to make themselves understood, resulted in a muddle. A policeman however made it clear that John Marshall (no connexion, it is to be hoped of the eminent jurist of that name) went into the native's think of Congregationalism as perhaps on the wane house, and put on a new pair of pants that were hanging on a nail, and walked off, being subsequently found on the street offering to sell them for a hundred per cent. a dollar. He was sent over for six months. On the morning of Tuesday, the 12th, there was of course a pretty good sized list of subjects, being the day after a boliday. There were some ten cases of drunk, which were let off at the price of two dollars each, and five of fast riding, which cost five dollars each. One Makanoenoe, accused two other natives of baving given him a most unmerciful pounding the night before, and his face presented occular demonstration of bad usage. On the trial, easy when the battle of Dorking shall have taken however, it did not appear that the assault had place. The basis of the coinage is to be the tenbeen unprovoked, and the two who inflicted the punishment were fined, one ten and the other five dollars. Mr. Maynard, a music-master, complained of Mr. Ober, a clerk, for assaulting him in the street, some week or two ago. From the statements made by the parties in Court, it seemed there had been "a slight unpleasantness" between them, Mongolia. The Rev. John T. Gulick and his leading to hot words and a mutual understanding to fight it out on that line. The one who got in the first blow evidently got the better in the scrimmage, which could hardly with propriety be termed region, and takes Pekin for its base of operations a fight, and as he had evidently had the most amusement, he was adjudged to pay a fine of \$5 and costs. On Wednesday, there was one case of fast riding and one drunk, who paid for those luxuries much valuable information. respectively, \$12 and \$6. Dwight Holcomb, com-

monly known as "Oakum," was arraigned by the
Marshal as being an insane person, whose being at
large was dangerous to the public safety. It was
shown by evidence, that on Tuesday afternoon
Holcomb had fired a pistol into the premises of a
mulatto living on Maunakea street, named Joe More, (also a person whose excentricity borders on madness), the bullet striking a tree near to where More was standing, and that he pulled out a second pistol, which he was prevented from discharging only after a struggle with the bystanders. Just previous to the firing, Holcomb was seen very exwell as could be expected under the circumstances.
The novel proceeding was a bold stroke for fame on the part of the operating medico, but consistency would seem to have counseled the retention of the ears in their full integrity, even had they been twice of a life, spending his time principally on the mount.

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ICE AND ICED DRINKS.—We are glad to know that the Ice Manufactory is at length established as a permanency, and is capable of turning out about 3,000 pounds daily of a fine article of pure ice. We approve of the enterprise for several reasons. First on the lear than the years, following a lonely, wild kind of a life, spending his time principally on the mountains and in the deep recesses of the valleys, sleeping in caves or in the open air. He is a great been tunter, and was frequently seen with a tin bucket, selling wild honey about the city. He has always been considered as harmlessly insane, and his recent violence was doubtless the result of some annoyance. No one knows anything certain as to his appearance at Placerville, El Dorado County, the court from sending you to prison; that by a cannot imprison you for less than three years nor fine you less than \$300. It is right that \$300. It is right that you less than \$300. It is right that you less than \$300. It is not the you less than \$300. It is right that you less than \$300. It is not \$100. It is not that you less than \$300. It is not \$100. It is not have you less than \$300. It is not \$100. It is not have you less than \$300. It is not have you less than \$300. It is not \$100. It is not \$100. I his appearance at Placerville, El Dorado County, Cal. in 1850, baving walked all the way across the plains, with his rifle on his shoulder. He was then the same erratic, honeless and houseless wanderer of the United States. I must look to it that my key, or suicidal absinthe! And what an improveis a pretty steep price, and about double the cost or later crime stands face to face with justice, and ment does the house wife find in satisfactorily carry of the same articles in town, but the trouble of justice is the master. I will say here and now that purchasing and the risk involved was no doubt considered. It appears that the individual implicated has been believed by the police to have for a long time followed the practice of buying spirits at wholesale in Honolulu (through foreigners) and retailing it out at Waikiki, but a good opportunity for catching him has not occurred until now. The evidence in the case was all gong through with evidence in the case was all gone through with was large, but generally all maintained a proper yesterday, but Mr. Kanahina, connsel for the decorum. The United States Marshal and detecaccused, wished time to prepare "an argument," and so the decision was postponed until this morning.

Notice of an appeal to the Supreme Court was given by the prisoner's counsel.

In a recent address by Lord Shaftesbury at Glasgow, he took occasion to speak of the Act for the observance of the Lord's Day, in the following terms: "It is the charter of the workingman. It is for the workingmen then, to maintain it for themselves, and for the friends of workingmen." The workingman's day of rest. The gift of the great Father to the first workingman in Eden. Rob him of this, and what will compensate the loss? The truth of the noble Lord's remark is as just and pertinent here in this latitude, as in Scotland. Let the workingmen, as well as others, see to it that they are not deprived of this gift from the inroads of an

New York Chamber of Commerce and the Australian Mail Subsidy.

deeply interested than workingmen. PUBITAN. .

Contradictory reports have been received here concerning the action of the New York Chamber of Commerce in the matter of recommending the granting of a subsidy to an Australian mail steamship line from this port. The latest advices show that the Chamber had recommended instead of opposing such a subsidy. It is a matter for congratulation that they have come to this conclusion; had they decided otherwise it would be a blow not only at the interests of this city, but at those of American manufactures and commerce. And the latter has not so prospered during the last ten years that it is needful to place a check on the exuberance of its youth. The imports of the Australian colonies at the present time do not average less than \$209,000,000 a year, those of the single colony of Victoria being not less than \$67,000.000. And their exports, consisting of hides, tallow, wool, copper and gold, are not less. We could fur nish a large proportion of the manufactured articles of import, and what we could not supply ourselves we could obtain from other portions of the Union. In fact, \$4,000,000 worth of the produce of the East is every year carried in English ships to London and Liverpool, and thence transhipped to the Australias. There is no reason why this should not be increased ten fold, exported from this city and carried in American steamships to its destination. And we fail to see that the fact of its passing through San Francisco would be productive of any serious injury to the commerce of New Yorks English vessels now have the monopoly of the carrying trade of the world, and they are bound to add to it that of the vast commerce which in a few years will spring up between us and the Australias, our own commercial marine has not its growth stimulated by the payment of a proper subsidy.

Wherein New York merchants would be benefitted by this we fail to perceive.—S. F. Chronicle.

Foreign Items.

The Emperor William has received from the Chinese Emperor the gorgeous title of "Hwang-Ti." Victoria Woodhull and Tennie Claffin offered to vote in New York, but were refused. The trial of the famous Tichborne case, inter-

rupted by the long vacation, has been resumed in the Court of Queen's Bench. A diplomatic Conference is shortly to be held in Dresden, to decide upon measures for the suppression of the International Society. Seven churches, six convents, eight schools, two

John Quincy Adams is out of luck. He has A steam yacht has been launched upon the sea

of Galilee, and is now plowing its way among its

peaceful waters "strange sights for to see." American is the owner and the captain. The Earl of Shaftsbury says the reason why the German arms were victorious in the late war is the two hymns before turning in for the night. Seventeen Démocratic papers have indorsed the Missouri Republican's programme for a No Party

centrate upon a liberal Republican candidate in The mechanics and laborers employed in the

Presidential nomination, all the opposition to con-

New Bedford (Mass.) must be a nice place to in the place, and lawyers are unable legitimately to pay their board bills. In addition to these ad vantages the climate is unusually healthy. Vincent Collyer, the Apache Peace Agent, is at Washington, preparing an elaborate report upon the peaceable inclinations of the savages, while

leading their murderous tribes on in the congenial task of kitling and destroying the whites and their lost all his American friends by his unmanly

It may surprise those who, in the rapid growth of their denominations, have been accustomed to in Massachusetts, to learn that during the last forty years there has been a net gain of 156 churches, and in membership a gain of more than The Maine Methodist Convention, which has

been in session at Portland, passed the following resolution with reference to manuscript sermons Resolved. That the growing practice of substituting reading of manuscripts for preaching is without Scriptural authority, unmethodistical, and damaging to the efficiency of the pulpit. Prince Bismarck has determined on the adoption of decimal money by Germany, and on a gold

groschen piece, which will be called a mark. This

mark will be subdivided into ten silber groschen,

and each of these latter into ten pfenhige, instead

of twelve as at present. There will be a fifteenmarks gold piece and another of twenty, the last mark being equal to our half-eagle. brother, now in Japan, will be the pioneers. The there. The Rev. James Gilmour, its pioneer, has

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, Oct. 28 .- Chief Justice

McKean this morning passed sentence upon Thomas

Hawkins, the polygamist, as follows:

Thomas Hawkins, I am sorry for you, very sorry; you may not think so now, but I shall try to make you think so by the mercy which I shall show you. You came from England to this country with a wife of your youth: for many years you were a kind husband and a kind father. At length pistol, which he was prevented from discharging only after a struggle with the bystanders. Just previous to the firing, Holcomb was seen very excited, and heard to say that he would "make a cathole through More," that he would kill him, &c. that be has been here. The confinement of the judgment gives no aid and comfort to such men. Asylum will no doubt prove to much for poor I must look to it that my judgment shall not be so "Oskum." Yesterday, a native named Kamai, severe as to seem in any manner vindictive, and not was charged with selling spirituous liquors without a license, at Kamolliili, Waikiki. on the 30th uit. Community ought to begin to learn that God does not interpose to rescue criminals from the consebrandy and one of gin, for \$3 each, to some of his | quences of their crimes, but that on the contrary neighbors, and then assisted them to drink it. This | He so orders the affairs of His universe that sooner

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